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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Milan C. Maravich et al. Conf. No.: 7043  
Serial No.: 10/824,753 Art Unit: 3727  
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For: DRINK CUP AND LID

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Petitioner, Applicant in the above-identified application, hereby requests that the response to the outstanding Office Action submitted herewith be accepted pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a). The outstanding Office Action was issued on July 13, 2005, the initial period for a response expiring October 13, 2005.

As required, the appropriate fee of \$120.00 specified in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 for a one-month extension is submitted herewith. Please credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees to the Deposit Account of Barnes & Thornburg, Account Number 10-0435 (5723-73575).

The requirements of the Code of Federal Regulations having been met, acceptance of the accompanying document is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,  
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